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State of Arizona
House of Representatives
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CHAPTER 117

HOUSE BILL 2069

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 12-281, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO SUPERIOR COURT CLERKS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)



1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 12-281, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 12-281. Oath; bond; salary; prohibition

5 A. The clerk of the superior court shall take the oath of office and
6 give a bond in the sum of five thousand dollars conditioned upon the faithful
7 performance of the duties of that office and the payment of all monies to the
8 person entitled to receive them. The bond is subject to approval by the
9 presiding superior court judge.

10 B. In counties having a population of ~~two~~ FIVE hundred thousand or
11 more persons, as determined by the latest preceding federal decennial census,
12 the annual salary of the clerk of the superior court is ~~fifty thousand~~
13 SEVENTY-SIX THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED dollars until modified.

14 C. In counties having a population of less than ~~two~~ FIVE hundred
15 thousand persons, as determined by the latest preceding federal decennial
16 census, the annual salary of the clerk of the superior court is ~~forty-five~~
17 ~~thousand~~ SIXTY-THREE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED dollars until modified.

18 D. The annual salary of the clerk of the superior court shall be
19 reviewed by the commission on salaries for elective state officers pursuant
20 to section 41-1903.

21 E. The clerk of the superior court and the clerk's deputies are
22 prohibited from practicing law or forming a partnership with an
23 attorney-at-law. This subsection does not prohibit the clerk or the clerk's
24 employees from providing to the public, including litigants, information
25 regarding documents routinely filed with the clerk.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR APRIL 18, 2005.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE APRIL 18, 2005.



Passed the House March 14, 2005,

Passed the Senate April 12, 2005,

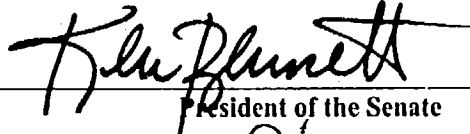
by the following vote: 58 Ayes,


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Speaker of the House


President of the Senate


Chief Clerk of the House

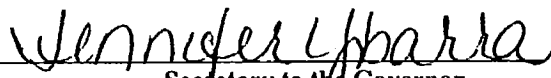

Secretary of the Senate

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This Bill was received by the Governor this

13th day of April, 2005

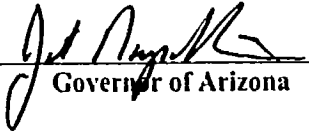
at 12:00 o'clock P. M.


Secretary to the Governor

Approved this 18 day of

April, 2005,

at 1:45 o'clock P. M.


Governor of Arizona

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OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

This Bill was received by the Secretary of State

this 18 day of April, 2005,

at 4:42 o'clock P. M.


Secretary of State